

PROCLAMATION PUBLIC WORKS WEEK

May 16-22, 2004

WHEREAS, public works infrastructure, facilities and services are of vital importance to the health, safety and well-being of the people of North Dakota; and

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest for the citizens and civic leaders of this state to gain knowledge of and to maintain a progressive interest in the public works needs and programs of their respective communities; and

WHEREAS, public works professionals, engineers and administrators are responsible for, and must design, build, operate and maintain the transportation, water supply, sewage and refuse disposal systems, public buildings and other structures and facilities essential to serve our citizens; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota's public works professionals, engineers and administrators should be recognized for their substantial contributions to our health and welfare; and

NOW, THEREFORE, as the Governor of the State of North Dakota, I do hereby proclaim May 16-22, 2004, **PUBLIC WORKS WEEK** in the state of North Dakota.

/s/ John Hoeven Governor

Attest:

/s/ Alvin A. Jaeger Secretary of State